The Andover Townsman

Andover's Own Weekly Newsmagazine

By Bus to Shakespeare

December 13, 1945 — 5 Cents

Postmaster Urges Immediate Mailing

Postmaster Stephen A. Boland urges the public to make immediate plans for the mailing of Christmas parcels. He stated that the post-office was facing a critical period, with mail volumes running far above normal loads and with anticipated Christmas mails to exceed by 15% that of last year, the outlook is very dismal for Christmas deliveries unless there is immediate public response.

On November 21, mail closed for the states of Arizona, California, Oregon, and Washington. Christmas cards can follow a week later than this date. It is essential that all mailers of Christmas gifts and cards realize the seriousness of the postal conditions and mail in accordance with official mail closing dates now posted in all postal establishments.

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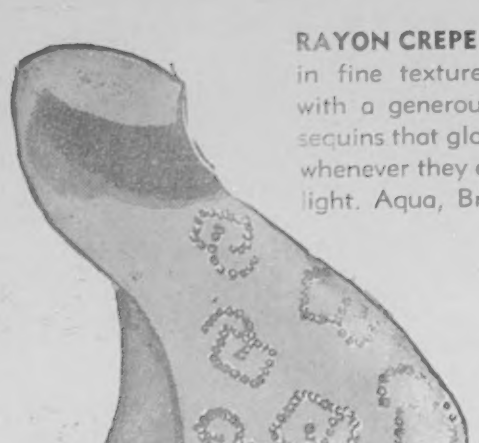

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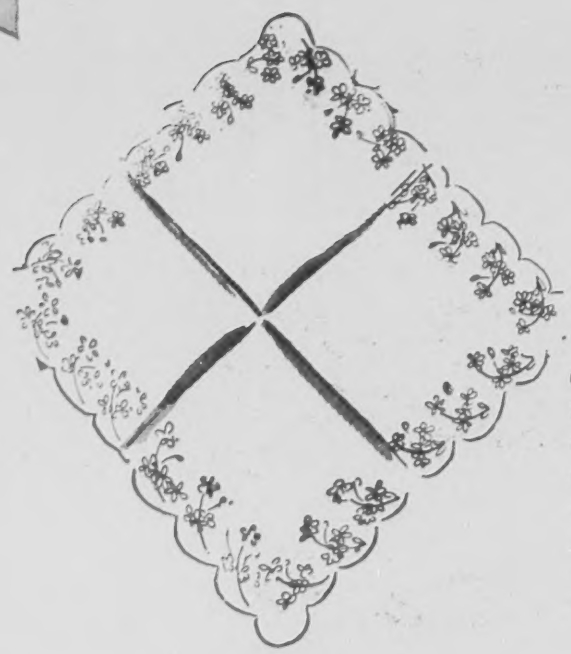

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Punchard To Play Rockport Dec. 21

Punchard will play its opening game in basketball Friday evening at 7:30, December 21, when Rockport comes here to play them in the Memorial gymnasium. It will be Rockport's second game as they will play St. James of Haverhill on Friday, Dec. 14. In going over last season's scores we find that Rockport won 10 out of the 18 games played, and Punchard won 5 games out of 16. It might look like the game would go to Rockport, although they have lost five of their players from last year's squad.

Last season's high scorers for Punchard were: Captain Phinney, McCollum and Westcott, who are out for their third year in basketball, and are ready to make it a victorious season.

Coach Kenneth McKiniry reports that he had not placed his players as yet, but has picked a varsity and junior varsity team. They have been practicing and trying out for the positions they can play best.

The visitors' lineup: Robert Wayrymen (co-cap.), f; J. Reilley, f; Valestraci, f; Purady, c; Johnson, c; John Huttumen (co-cap.), g; Joseph, g; J. Wayrymen, g.

Punchard's First Team: Phinney, (cap.), McCollum, Demers, Westcott, G. Noble, B. Noble, Yancy, Moss, McVey and Parsons.

Punchard Eleven Feted at Banquet

Parents, friends and cheerleaders were present at the 31st anniversary banquet given in honor of the 1945 Punchard eleven Monday evening in the cafeteria at Punchard High school. A delicious dinner was served at 6:15, after which Mr. James Hart, toastmaster, announced the first speaker, Mr. Donald Dunn, director of physical education in the Andover public schools. Mr. Dunn spoke on the importance of physical education in the elementary schools, Junior and Senior High schools, and throughout life.

Mr. Eugene Lovely, principal and coach at Punchard for more than 35 years, was the next speaker, and he stated that he had never seen one squad suffer so much from injuries and sickness, and yet be so succesful. Mr. Kenneth Sherman, superintendent of schools, expressed his happiness at being back with the school this term after an absence of more than three and a half years. He believes that athletics will get a boost in the next two years, with the addition of track in the Junior and Senior High schools.

Mr. Owen Hinckley, assistant coach at Punchard, spoke on the fitness of the third team which he trained this season, preparing them for the replacement of the graduating players. He believes there will be two or three that will make the first team. Coach McKiniry said he was much pleased with the team, and he believed they had played with the idea to win in all their games. He commended Anthony Cavallaro as being the most outstanding player of the team, and awarded him the Varsity Club plaque. He also commended co-captains Fred McCollum and Phil Markey. Fred McCollum expressed the team's appreciation for Mr. McKiniry's and Mr. Hinckley's efforts, and he presented each of them a present from the team.

Mr. Dennie Gildea and Mr. Richard Hickey, head and assistant coach of the Everett High school, whose team took the state title, spoke on the character, fitness and teamwork of their team, which enabled them to have such an outstanding record.

Two movies on professional football were shown in the auditorium after the speeches.

Members of the football squad were: Co-Captains Fred McCollum and Philip Markey, Captain-elect Joseph Watson, Robert Phinney, Charles Waterman, Norman Parsons, Ronald Demers, William Westcott, Robert Moore, Anthony Cavallaro, James Gillen, Bruce Noble, Glenn Noble, Fred Cole, Clifford Dubois, Walter Demers, Hector Pattullo, William Ware, George Jacobson, Lyndon Gilman, George Haseltno, Carl Lindsay, Alex Stewart, Allen Petty, Leroy Wilson, Jack Arabian, Louis Marocco, Donald Porter and Managers Luke Mills and Edward McVey.

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Recommends Public Garbage Collection

If garbage is to be collected in Andover the Board of Health feels that it should be collected by the Department of Public Works, and that the net cost would be about $11,000 per year, according to a statement issued this week by Drs. Look and Emmons.

The ideas of private collection or contract collection were felt unsatisfactory by the board.

A complete statement follows:

The Board of Health, together with the Selectmen, have been striving for months to obtain a satisfactory answer for the townspeople in the matter of garbage collection. Many snags have arisen. However, we would now like to review and summarize this problem.

In March, at Town Meeting, the townspeople voted to accept Article 27 and appropriated $4,000. This figure, as the Finance Committee stated, was based on "insufficient information" and the backers of the article were unable to show that the suggested amount would fulfill the requirements of our Town. Nevertheless, the sentiment of the people was to obtain better and cheaper collecion.

An intensive study has been made of methods and costs with the following results. There are three (3) methods of collection:

1—Private
2—Contract
3—Municipal

The first method (private) is now in operation in Andover, but is objectionable to some because of the cost per family, the type of trucks used, and the irregularity in pick-ups of some collectors.

The second method (contract) was the method apparently desired by the proponents of Article 27, but very little conducive study had been given the proposition. The first call for bids was made in April and three men signified their desire to undertake the contract. The contract was finally awarded to the person the Board of Health and the Selectmen felt had the proper equipment and background. However, when it came time to sign the legal papers, the successful bidder and others felt that all outstanding permits should be cancelled and he be given exclusive rights of collection in the Town of Andover. The majority of the two Boards felt that this was unfair to the local men; moreover, this practice was recently declared illegal by the Supreme Judicial Court of Massachusetts in a case against the City of Malden. In part this decision read: ".... The authority of Boards of Health to prohibit absolutely and in all instances by a general regulation the transportation of garbage, except by the city or its contractors, which they formerly possessed by virtue of what is now G.L (ter. ed.) c.111, section 122, no longer exists.... It does not follow, however, that a Board is required to grant all or any applications for a permit. The duty of the Board is to exercise the power conferred upon it and, when an application is presented, to determine whether its granting or refusal would be beneficial or detrimental to the public health."

Again, after re-examination of the issue, bids were asked and this time only one party bid, yet he was subsequently found to be unable to meet the requirements and withdrew. This proved to the satisfaction of the Board of Health and the Selectmen the hopelessness of executing the provisions of Article 27 this year.

The third method (municipal) would seem to be the best suited to the needs of a town like Andover, although the most expensive. One of the biggest drawbacks to proper collections in this Town is the wide area to be covered, approximately 32 sq. miles, with only about 2100 families. It is quite likely that some of the sparsely settled portions would have to be omitted at first in any case. If the Town purchased two (2) 1½-ton trucks with enclosed bodies and hired two drivers and four helpers, we feel that the situation could be adequately covered in view of the fact that there will still be a few private collectors available.

Our thought is that the Board of Public Works is the proper department to cope with the situation. In a survey of 20 Massachusetts cities and towns, the Highway Department controlled collections in 8, while the Health Department handled it in 12, but, in well-run municipalities like Brookline, Concord, Lexington, and Newton they believe that the Highway Department is better set up to supply labor and care for equipment than is the average Health Department, and we agree. Residential collections should be made once a week for the average family and twice a week in houses having three (3) or more families. Stores, restaurants, etc., need daily removal in most cases.

In towns with approximately the same population as Andover, the costs run from $3,120 to $10,875, the variance or spread being due to the territory to be covered and the number of collections to be made. Most costs have doubled in the past five years. The Board feels that an appropriation of $14,000 yearly would be needed to satisfy requirements. This figure could be reduced about 20% by the sale of the garbage, thereby making the actual cost approximately $11,000.

We hesitate to endorse municipal collection at the price indicated, but feel that any final recommendation to the Town should be based upon the entire financial picture that faces us in 1946.

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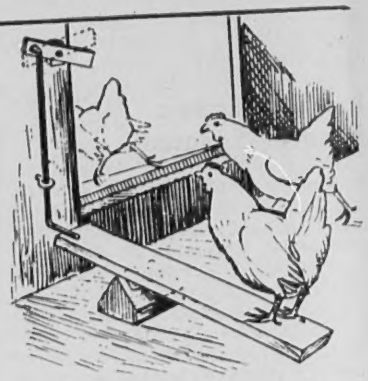

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At Andover's Churches . . .

Church Schedules

South Church

Sunday, 9:30 a. m., Church School and the Junior Church; 9:30, Men's Group; 10:45, Morning Worship and Sermon; 10:45, Church Kindergarten; 11:15, Educational Motion Pictures; 7:00 p. m., Young People's Society meet with Young People of the Free Church.

Monday, 3:30-5:30 p. m., Junior Church Party.

Tuesday, 1:15 p. m., Week-day School of the Christian Religion; 7:30, The Junior Choir; 7:30, The Prudential Committee.

Wednesday, 1:15 p. m., Week-day School of the Christian Religion; 6:30, Men's Club Supper; 7:30, The Church Choir.

Thursday, 10:00 a. m., All-day Sewing Meeting of the Women's Union; 8:00 p. m., A. P. C. Sorority Christmas Party.

Friday, 7:15 p. m., Troop 3, Boy Scouts.

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Free Church

Sunday, 9:30 a. m., Church School; 11:00, Morning Worship, with Sermon by the Pastor; 11:00, Church Kindergarten; 12:00 Noon, Meeting of the Standing Committee; 7:00 p. m., Pilgrim Fellowship meeting, with the Young People's Society of the South Church as guests; 7:30, The Senior Choir sings in a concert of Christmas music at the First Calvary Baptist Church, Lawrence.

Tuesday, 7:00 p. m., Christmas party for the older members of the Church School, in the parish house.

Thursday, 3:45 p. m., Junior Choir rehearsal; 6:30, Girl Scouts; 7:30, Senior Choir rehearsal.

Friday, 6:00 p. m., Children's Christmas party of the Margaret Slattery Class; 7:00, Troop 72, Boy Scouts.

Saturday, 2:00 p. m., Christmas party for the Primary Department of the Church School.

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Christ Church

Sunday, 8:00 a. m., Holy Communion; 9:30, Church School; 11:00, Litany Ante-Communion and Sermon, preacher Chaplain William Arnold.

Monday, 7:30 p. m., Girl's Friendly Society Christmas party.

Tuesday, 2:30 p. m., Girl Scouts.

Friday, St. Thomas' Day, 10:00 a. m., Holy Communion.

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Cochran Chapel

Sunday, 11:00 a. m., Morning Worship and Sermon by Rev. A. Graham Baldwin, School Minister of Phillips Academy; 7:00 p. m., Organ Recital.

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West Church

Sunday, 10:30 a. m., Morning Worship and Sermon by Rev. Leslie J. Adkins; 10:30, Church School; 4:45 p. m., Young People's Department in Parsonage.

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Baptist Church

Sunday, 9:30 a. m., Church School; 10:45 a. m., Morning worship and sermon.

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St. Augustine's Church

Sunday, Masses at 6:30, 8:30, 9:45 and 11:30 a. m., (followed by Benediction).

CHRISTMAS VESPERS AT COCHRAN RECITAL

The annual Christmas vesper service of the Cochran chapel will take place on Sunday afternoon, December 16. The brass choir will play from the portico of the chapel at 3:45. There will be a recital at 4:15, at which the program will consist of French noels for organ, solos by Rulon Robison, tenor, of Boston, and Mozart sonatas for organ and strings, the latter played by Frank Macdonald of Boston and members of the student body. The service, at which there will be the usual carols by the choir, will begin at 4:45.

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At Andover's Churches (Continued)

Christmas Concert At Free Church

A very enjoyable evening was spent by those who attended the Christmas concert at the Free church Sunday evening. The program included the combined choirs of the Free Christian church and the First-Calvary Baptist church of Lawrence, also the Andover Choral society, with J. Everett Collins as conductor. Mrs. Dorothy Cornwell, soprano, sang several selections by Handel, with Francis Dunlevy, organist of the Free church, at the piano.

The program was as follows: Organ prelude, The Messiah Overture, Handel; processional hymn, "O, Come, All Ye Faithful"; Scripture sentences, followed by an invocation; chorale, "Break Forth, O Beauteous Heavenly Light," Bach; anthem, "Christmas Day," Holst; trio for women, "Sleep, Little Dove of Mine," old French carol, arr. Tiersot; Scripture reading; prayer; choral response, "Beside Thy Cradle Here I Stand," Bach; "Joy to the World"; The Messiah — chorus, "And the glory of the Lord shall be revealed," Handel; The Messiah—"Pastoral Symphony," Handel; The Messiah—recitatives: "There were shepherds abiding in the field," "And lo! the angel of the Lord came upon them," "And the angel said unto them," "And suddenly there was with the angel," Handel, solos by Mrs. Dorothy Cornwell, soprano; chorus, "Glory to God in the highest"; chorus, " Lift up your heads, O ye gates"; air, "Come unto Him," solo by Mrs. Dorothy Cornwell, soprano; chorus, "Worthy is the lamb that was slain"; chorus, "Hallelujah"; benediction; postlude, "Variations on a Noel," D'Aquin.

Former Jap Prisoner To Address Club

Spending nearly thirty years in Japan, plus over three years in the Philippine Islands, most of them as a Japanese prisoner of war, has given Rev. Frank Cary, New England born Congregational missionary, an unusual background of knowledge for his talk on Japan. He will speak Wednesday evening, December 19, at 6 o'clock at the Men's club in the South Congregational church.

Because of his skill in the use of the Japanese language, he carried a heavy job as interpreter at Santo Tomas. Although he suffered from influenza, tropical ulcers and beriberi, he did his share of the heavy work, led in religious activities and gave blood transfusions as long as his strength held out. "It made patience a virtue to be coveted and broke religion down to its essentials as a daily meeting of one's duty and privilege in a world with a God who cares and understands," he says of his internment experiences.

Rev. Mr. Cary had gone from Japan to the Philippine Islands for temporary service when he was interned first at Davao and later at Santo Tomas in Manila. He executed the dangerous assignment of carrying to the Japanese officers, caught in Santo Tomas prison camp, Manila, the United States Army terms under which they could leave.

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Women's Alliance of the Free Church — Mrs. Elizabeth Logan Ennis of Sachikela, educationalist under the American Board of Foreign Missions, was the guest speaker at the meeting held Thursday afternoon, December 13, in the Free church. Mrs. Ennis spoke of the Umbundu Christian church where she worked for more than 30 years, and of the poverty facing these people.

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West Church Pastor Installed

The program of installation for Rev. Leslie John Adkins was held in West church on Tuesday afternoon and evening. The council met in the afternoon at 4 o'clock, at which time Rev. Adkins read a paper describing his Christian experiences and theological beliefs.

A roast beef supper for the delegates and guests was served at 6 o'clock, with Mrs. William Trow, chairman.

Rev. Clinton W. Carvell acted as moderator, and reported on the installation council at the evening version, which began at 7:30. Music for the occasion was furnished by the Andover Male Choir.

Rev. Russell Henry Stafford, D.D., preached the evening sermon, and Rev. J. Edgar Park, D.D., gave the charge to the people. Rev. Norman B. Cawley, pastor of the Immanuel Congregational church of Beverly, gave the prayer for the Christian church, and Rev. Kenneth Beckwith gave the charge to the minister.

Church Club Notes

Junior Womans Union of West Church — The annual meeting and Christmas party was held in the church vestry Thursday evening at 8 o'clock. The hostesses were: Mrs. Adele Savage, Mrs. Esther Keith, Mrs. Frances Des Noches, Mrs. Helen Batchelder, Mrs. Mary Kreiger and Mrs. Gladys Gulf. The election of officers was held.

The A. P. C. Sorority of South Church—A Christmas party will be held Thursday evening, December 20, in the South church vestry. Each member is asked to bring a 10-cent gift. Mrs. Paul Simeone is in charge of the party arrangements, and Mrs. Harold Godfrey is in charge of refreshments, assisted by Mrs. Joseph Dahle, Mrs. Bertram Peck and Mrs. James Souter.

Court St. Monica, 783, Catholic Daughters of America — A meeting was held Monday evening at 7:30 in St. Augustine's school hall. A Christmas social followed the business sesion. The committee in charge: Mrs. Mary Sheehan, Miss Mary Elizabeth Murphy, Mrs. Frances Keaney.

The Girls Friendly Society of the Christ Church — Each member is requested to bring a small gift for the Christmas tree to the Christmas party to be held Monday evening at 7:30, December 17, in the parish house.

The Women's Union of the Baptist Church—The annual Christmas tree party was held Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Henry S. Jenkins, Ballardvale road.

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News of Old Andover . . .

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

The Women's Auxiliary to the American Legion was formed, with Mrs. Bartlett Hayes as president . . There was a large gathering at the concert held in the South church vestry for the purpose of raising funds for the relief of the sick and starving children across the sea . . . The second of a series of talks on current history was given in the November club house by Mrs. Claude U. Gilson . . . A large number of Abbot Academy students attended the confirmation service at the Christ church in Lawrence . . . The Clan Johnston, 185, O. S. C., celebrated the 161st anniversary of the birth of Robert Burns . . . Arthur Jackson was made manager of the S. K. Ames store on Main street.

TEN YEARS AGO

The general discussion in Ballardvale was whether they would keep their post office or have it combined with the Andover postal district . . . At a poorly attended town meeting, the appropriation of $35,000 for school, transfer of $6500 for W. P. A., and the redivision of the town into six instead of four precincts was approved . . . A new organ was given to St. Augustine's by Mr. and Mrs. Maurice J. Curran. . . . Punchard eleven elected Frank Whiting and Warren Sanders as co-captains of the 1936 team . . . Andover's Red Cross roll call was more successful than ever before in its history . . . Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Scott of Harding street left to spend the winter months in Florida.

BIRTHS

A daughter to Mr. and Mrs. John Caussaule of 54 Essex street, at the Clover Hill hospital Monday.

A son to Mr. and Mrs. William Keith, 26 Elm street, at the Lawrence General hospital Thursday.

A daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Nealey, 38 Corbett street, at the Clover Hill hospital Saturday.

LOCALS

Miss Florence Kimball and Miss Ethel Howell are spending the winter in Holly Hill, Florida.

John Morton, recently discharged from the Army, has returned to his home in Buffalo, N. Y., after visiting with his mother, Mrs. Thomas Morton of 43 Elm street.

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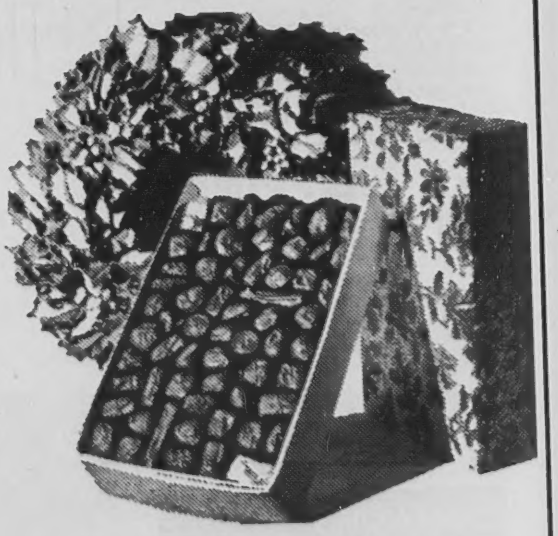

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At the Library . .

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A few of the new books added to the library are listed below:

Fiction

Ho, the Fair Wind Wylie
Romantic novel of the period just after the Civil war, when religious groups were making Martha's Vineyard a gathering place.

Behold Your King Bauer
A long and vivid retelling of the world's most famous story.

Daisy Kenyon Janeway
Against the background of the crucial war years, this story of Daisy Kenyon, the magazine illustrator, and the two loves in her life, is a fast-moving revealing picture of the times.

The Gauntlet Street
A story of the choice made by a young minister between material success in happy surroundings and the preservation of his own integrity among the people who had nearly ruined his life.

Marriage of Josephine Coryn
Friendly Persuasion West
Repent in Haste Marquand
Hurry Home to My Heart Byrd
Not in Our Stars Greene
Beyond the Sound of Guns Loring
Devil in the Bush Head
Most Secret Shute
None So Blind Wilson
Any Number Can Play Heth
The Yellow Room Rinehart
Sinister Errand Cheyney

Non-fiction

Persian Gulf Command Sayre
The account of our getting to Russia the four and a half million tons of lend-lease material, by way of Iran. Most of the material was first published in the New Yorker.

Lovely Is the Lee Gibbings
Exploration of the River Lee country in Ireland. The author describes the simple and ancient life which exists in Ireland, centered in tiny villages, mostly in the southern and western parts of the Irish Free State.

A German Talks Back Hauser
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The Egg and I MacDonald
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Through a Dean's Open Door Hawkes
Atomic Energy in the Coming Era Dietz
Japan and the Son of Heaven Price
Victorian Glass: specialties of the 19th Century Lee
Shopwork on the Farm Jones
Benjamin Franklin's Autobiographical Writings Van Doren, ed.
Sixty Million Jobs Wallace
African Journey Robeson
Training for Supervision in Industry Fern
Frontier Thinking in Guidance Yale
Employee Counseling Cantor
Rocky Mountains Atwood
Rendezvous by Submarine Ingham
Your Nerves: How To Release Emotional Tensions Bisch

Lieutenant Commanders Receive Promotions

Mr. Kenneth L. Sherman, superintendent of schools, and Mr. Donald D. Dunn, director of physical education at the Junior High school, former lieutenant commanders in the U. S. Navy, received word Thursday of their promotion to the rank of commander. The promotions were effective November 5.

Mr. Sherman, a World War I veteran, entered the service again in January, 1942, and returned to his duties as superintendent of schools at the beginning of the school term in September. His terminal leave expired on November 11.

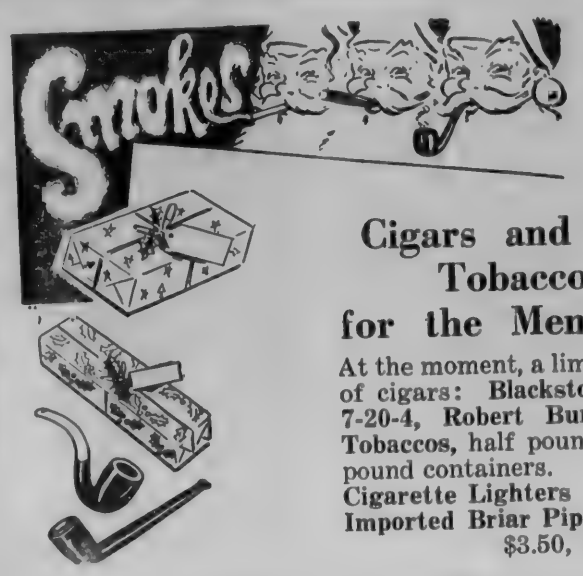
Mr. Dunn also entered the service in January, 1942, and returned to his duties several weeks ago. He is still on terminal leave from the Navy.

West Parish

Mr. and Mrs. Lathrop Merrick and son on Sunday attended a meeting of the New England Appalachian mountain club held at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Hartwell in Lawrence. A buffet supper was served and colored slides were shown during the evening . . . Mr. J. J. Twomey of Haverhill street is attending a meeting of State Commanders and State Adjutants of the American Legion held in Indianapolis.

Miss Mildred Harshaw, a Freshman at Jackson College, department of women, at Tufts College, Medford, will spend the Christmas vacation, December 22 to New Year's Day, with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Harshaw of Elm street.

Philip B. Wainwright, Jr., son of Mrs. Philip Wainwright, 33 Chestnut street, has just been elected by the faculty and the Student Council of Tilton School, Tilton, N. H., as one of the worthy citizens of the student body whose conduct grants him special privileges.



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Where To Go

Infantry Concert
Friday Evening

Don't forget the Infantry concert, which will be presented Friday evening at 8 o'clock in the Memorial auditorium, as part of Andover's Victory Loan drive.

Admission will be by the purchase of a bond at the Andover National bank, the Andover Playhouse, the Andover Savings bank or the local post office.

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V. F. W. Auxiliary Whist
December 17

Remember how you tried to (or maybe you did) win some articles for your Thanksgiving dinner? Well, you're going to have a chance to try again for your Christmas dinner, for that's what the prizes will be at the whist party next Monday evening at 7:30 in the Musgrove building. You might win a turkey, a chicken, a duck or 50 gallons of oil, although we wouldn't advise using the latter for your dinner. There will also be many other miscellaneous edible or cookable prizes.

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Bean Supper
December 15

Seems as though we're thinking a lot about food, but this is a really good supper, consisting of baked beans and all the fixin's, with the ladies of the Andover Grange as your hostesses. That's at 6:30 in the Grange Hall. Mrs. Hartwell Abbott and Mrs. Alex Henderson are in charge.

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Christmas Formal
December 20

This will appeal to some of our younger readers. It's the annual Christmas formal of the Courteous Circle of The Junior King's Daughters, to be held in the Crystal ballroom, with Dick Gary's orchestra supplying the music. Tickets will not be on sale at the door, so get yours from any member of the club beforehand.

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Indianapolis Symphony
At P. A. January 17

We don't have much else to talk about this week, so we'll give an advance notice that on Thursday, January 17, the Indianapolis Symphony Orchestra will present a program in George Washington Hall at 8:15. It's not too early to reserve seats for this rare musical treat.

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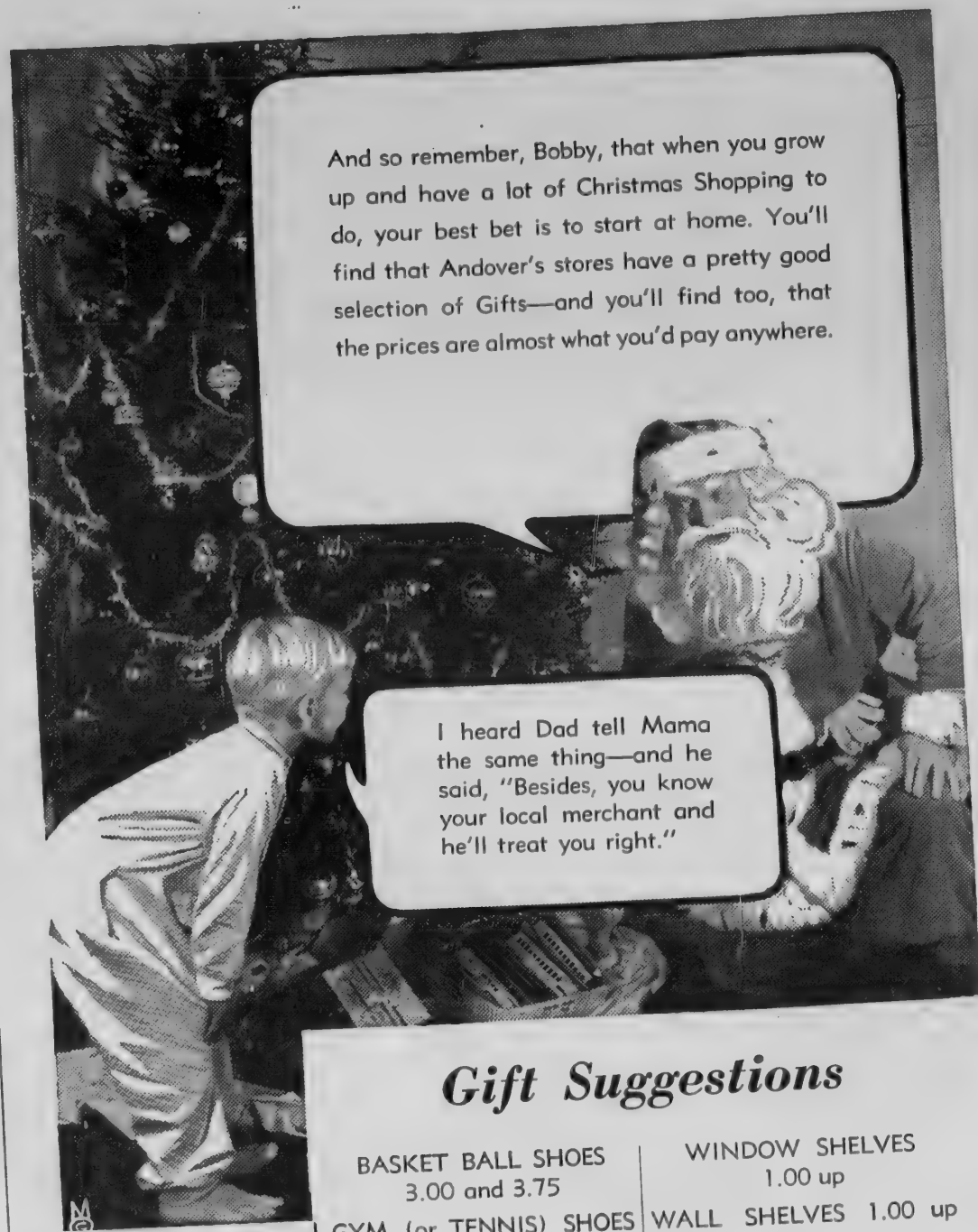

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Deaths...

MISS ABBIE DENMAN BURTT

Miss Abbie Denman Burtt, 69 Park street, died Wednesday morning, Dec. 5, at the Baker Memorial hospital, Boston, where she had been a patient for a short time. Born in Andover, Dec. 16, 1881 she was a member of the Women's Union of the South Church, Women's Relief Corps, now dissolved, and the Indian Ridge Lodge of Rebekahs, 136, I. O. O. F.

She is survived by a brother, William Henry Burtt, of Winchester; an aunt, Winifred Burtt of Andover, now spending the winter in Deland Fla., and two uncles, Albion Burtt, of Andover, Charles H. Burtt, of Boston

The funeral was held at the Lundgren funeral home, Friday at 2, with Rev. Frederick B. Noss, pastor of the South Congregational church, officiating. Burial was in the Old South church cemetery.

MISS ANNIE G. DONOVAN

Miss Annie G. Donovan, a native and life-long resident of Andover, was found dead at her home, 22 Brook street, Thursday morning by Edward O'Hagan, a fireman at the Central schools. He went to her home shortly before 7 a. m. Thursday morning to fix her fires and found her lying on the living-room floor. He immediately called Rev. Henry B. Smith, O. S. A., of St. Augustine's church, at the rectory across the street, who called the Andover police. Officer James R. Lynch immediately answered the call in the fire department ambulance. Dr. Julius J. Burgiel, medical examiner, examined the body and stated that death was due to a heart condition.

Miss Donovan, 77, was one of the first organizers of the choir of St. Augustine's church. She was organist at St. Augustine's for 45 years and had retired about ten years ago because of ill health. She accepted the position of organist in September, 1894, and for two months she played in the old wooden church which stood on the site of the present rectory and which was destroyed by fire November 8, 1894.

Miss Donovan was for many years a music teacher, having studied under the direction of the late Professor Thomas F. Leonard, organist at St. Mary's church. She also studied organ technique under Professor Frank Donahue of Holy Cross Cathedral, Boston. During her long musical career she had served under nine pastors.

The funeral will be held in St. Augustine's church Saturday morning with a solemn high mass of requiem at 9:30 o'clock. Burial will be in St. Augustine's cemetery.

Finance Committee Urges Deferring Purchase of Road Scraper

The finance committee has approved the appropriation of $8000 for snow removal, but approved only $23,000 of the $35,000 that the Board fo Public Works is asking for equipment at the coming special town meting next Monday evening.

The committee felt that the tractor and the truck were needed by the town and "although there is no definite assurance that they can be secured promptly, the Board of Public Works believes that they can be obtained in time to be of use this season." The finance committee withheld approval of the purchase of a grader with the following statement: "Apparently the grader cannot be secured promptly and it is recommended that action on this item be postponed until the regular town meeting."

It is estimated by the Board of Public Works that the tractor and the truck would each cost in the neighborhood of $11,500, with the grader costing $11,000 to $12,000. The department's present tractor broke down last February, and was useless for the big storm, while the old Austin "77" grader was also out of service. For this reason the cost of tractor hire has been higher, and up to December 7, a total of $8,364.14 had been spent for tractor and grader hire, and a few big trucks. The board feels that if it had had its own equipment, there would have been a sizable saving.

According to the board's figures, there has been a reduction of 41% in small costs by virtue of the purchase seven years ago of the small trucks. In that seven year period from 1939 to 1945 for hired units the cost was $20,383.78. The cost of hauling snow out of the square was $2,581.13, making a total cost of $22,964.91, or a year average of $3280.70 for hired snow removal.

The total expenditures for the seven years were $102,040.38, for a yearly average of $14,577.19. This compares with a total for the five-year period from 1934 to 1938 inclusive, of $130,412.52, or a yearly average of $26,102.50, almost twice the yearly average for the last seven years. The official records of snowfall show that it was practically the same each year.

The Taxpayers' Association is urging all its members to attend the meeting promptly at 7:30.

CHRISTMAS LIGHTS

Saturday night the giant fir tree at the corner of High street will be lit from top to bottom with multi-colored Christmas lights, as Andover celebrates its first peace-time Christmas after four years of war.

Formerly a tradition in Andover, the tree was not lit during the war years, because of general restrictions. This year the giant star at the top of the tree and the colorful lights will once more make the Christmas season brighter.

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Editorial

Be There on Time

Town meeting starts next Monday night at 7:30, and 7:30 is the time that you should be there. The first half hour of the annual meetings are usually taken up by ratifying of elections, etc., but at this special meeting we plunge immediately into whether or not we shall spend 43,000.

On the first article there should be little question, because no one at town meeting will be able to say whether or not there will be enough snow to spend $2,000, $8,000 or $16,000 on between now and the end of the year. The Board of Public Works feel that it will be safe with $8,000, and the short time left between December 17th and the end of the year won't allow much opportunity for wasting money anyway.

On the second article, there is bound to be some question. The board feels that the purchase of this equipment will save money in the long run, and it has figures that show the savings of the last seven years because of the truck purchase back in 1939. Obviously, of course, machinery anywhere will save money only if the management of that machinery and of the men in the department is efficient, and it is hoped that some day this goal will be achieved.

The Finance committee approved the article for $23,000, stating that the tractor and truck are, in their opinion, needed by the town. However, they suggest that action on the grader be postponed until the regular town meeting, because it is felt that the grader cannot be secured promptly.

What the special town meeting will have to decide first is whether the equipment is necessary, and if it will save money. If the voters feel that they can answer "yes," there should be no hesitancy about approving the purchase now, because it will put us three months ahead of most towns in purchasing such equipment. Even if the machinery cannot be secured immediately, it would be best to place the order now, as anyone who has tried to purchase machinery of any kind well knows.

The most important thing is to have a full attendance at the meeting despite its unfortunate date. The spending of $43,000 is worth making some sort of an effort to have a voice in.

This Sober Town

Did you ever wonder why a banker sits out front, and what it is that's out back? We know that we'd go crazy completely if we had to sit right out next to a counter and have no means of being able to devote some uninterrupted time to a problem, an editorial or a job. But bankers do it, and we wanted to know why. The answer, as one of Andover's new residents, Howell Stillman of the Bay State Merchants National bank, told us, is that they want to make themselves available to the public, that they are there to serve the public.

What is it that's out back? It's nothing human, or almost not human. True, the girls do pick away at some keys, but for all practical purposes, the checks just about record themselves, sort themselves and total themselves. The check machines are pretty near uncanny. It's not quite a funnel that you pour the checks into, but it's the next thing to it, and while nobody lies with a string on his big toe to start it automaically when a bird tickles the bottom of his foot with the tip of its feather while it's trying to catch an early worm, the machine does have Rube Goldberg-ish propensities.

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We knew something would come of all this "wishing for a white Christmas" that people have been doing for the past two or three years. This year we got a white Thanksgiving, it certainly looks like it will be a white Christmas (unless we're too completely snowed under to enjoy it) and in all probability we'll have a white New Year's.

With all this talk about new snow-removing equipment, you might think we hadn't asked for it all along. Like the extra present you buy "in case something comes up," but when something does, you're sorry, because it was something you really would have liked to keep.

Of course, a white Christmas would be much simpler if we went "over the river and through the woods" to grandmother's house in the sleigh like they used to do, with a soapstone at their feet and a bearskin rug over their knees, instead of driving a car with clanking chains and a frozen radiator over slippery roads.

But, all in all, it is nice to get our wish this year, and maybe next year we'll be prepared for it.

But It's True——————!

CHRISTMAS ON MAIN STREET

There's a little church on Main Street
That you really ought to see
With Christmas carols playing
And a lighted Christmas tree;
In fact the whole of Main street
Is in Christmas-time array
With greens, and red carnations
And decorations gay.
Lit from top to bottom
In the middle of the square
Is a brightly glowing fir tree;
Yes, there's Christmas in the air.

A REMINDER . . . . . .

All signs point to a gala celebration as we enter our first peace-time New Year.

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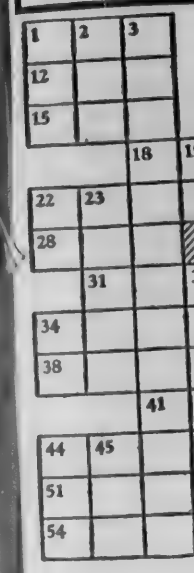

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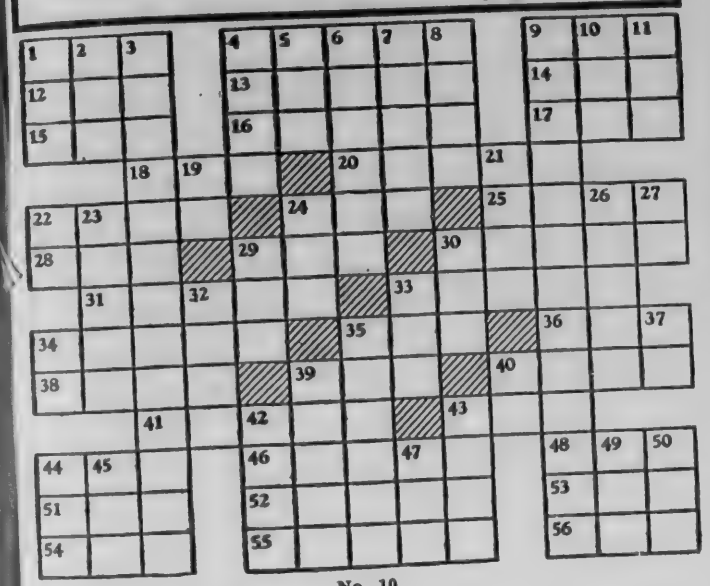

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40 Villain's nemesis
41 Pry
43 Marriage portion
44 Silkworm
46 To excite
48 Sick
51 Burmese demon
52 Surgical thread
53 Indo-Chinese tree
54 To discover
55 Colloquial: small
56 Part of "to be"

VERTICAL
1 Period of time
2 The lily (Her.)
3 Unlikelihood
4 To desist
5 And not
6 Devotional prayer
7 Outbreaks
8 Prong
9 Period of fifty days
10 Vase
11 Assistance
19 Preposition
21 Sound accompanying breathing
22 Siberian river
23 Wanderer
24 Except
26 Less than
27 Symbol for silver
29 Evil
30 To cook in grease
32 Ceremonial act
33 Gamin
34 Egyptian deity
35 Dialectic: to gossip
37 Part of infinitive
39 Volcano in Martinique
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43 To refuse
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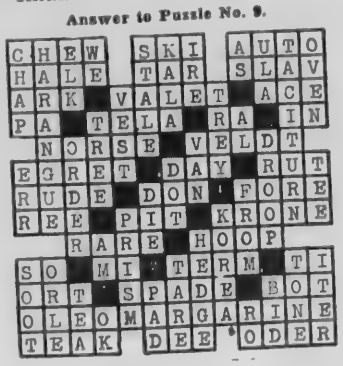

Are we Kidding ourselves Or are some of the Big shots Kidding us

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Robert S. Hamilton, apprentice seaman in the V-12 program, is home on leave after completing his first semester at St. Lawrence University, Canton, N. Y. He will report back to Schenectady, N. Y., where he will take his second semester at Union College. Hamilton graduated from Punchard in June and reported at St. Lawrence University July 2. He was president of his class at Punchard, and served on class play, year book, class ring and Junior prom committees. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew P. Hamilton, 8 Harding street.

Lieutenant William S. Hutchinson, Jr., of the United States Naval Reserve, is on his way home. Lt. Hutchinson left Guam on the aircraft carrier Marcus Island, November 24, and was scheduled to arrive in San Diego about Dec. 8. Upon arriving in the States he will go directly to the Separation Center in Boston for his discharge. He is the husband of Mrs. Katherine F. Hutchinson of 25 Barnard street.

Two Andover veterans served on the aircraft carrier Bennington, which arrived in San Francisco November 7. They are: **William H. Jaquith,** seaman, first class, of 76 Salem street, and **William John Currie, seaman,** first class, of 38 Pearson street. The famed carrier on which they served was a member of the famous Task Force 58, and the "Busy B", as she is called by her crew, participated in the first carrier strike against Japan. The veterans took part in strikes against Iwo Jima, Okinawa, Keramo Retto and other Japanese home islands.

A brother and sister have been discharged from the U. S. Navy, **G. Alton Porter,** and **Miss Ruth A. Porter.** They are the son and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. Verne Porter, 139 Chestnut street. They also have another daughter in the service, **Miss Evelyn Porter,** seaman, first class, of the Waves, who is stationed at the Bureau of Aeronautics at Washington, D. C. G. Alton Porter was discharged December 5 at Boston after serving a year and 11 months. He enlisted January 11, 1944, at Boston and took his recruit training at Samuson, N. Y. After completing his recruit training, he attended electrical school in Detroit and was assigned to the U.S.S. Cabot, aircraft carrier, known as the "Iron Lady of the Pacific." He took part in the battles of Lingayen Gulf, Mindanao, Luzon, Iwo Jima and Okinawa, and returned to San Diego November 15 and proceeded to Philadelphia. Porter graduated from Punchard High school in 1936, and was employed at Phillips Academy and the Andover Press, Ltd., before entering the Navy. He is married and has three children, Dennis, Alton and Patricia. Miss Ruth Porter was discharged November 10 at Manhattan Towers, N. Y. She was a specialist, first class. She enlisted March 5, 1943, and took her recruit training at Hunter College, N. Y. Shewas sent to the Naval Air station at Los Alamitos, California, and later was assigned to the Naval Air station at Olathe, Kansas. Miss Porter graduated from Punchard High school in 1940. She played basketball and sang in the school glee club. Before entering the service she was employed as an operator in the local telphone exchange.

Boatswain's Mate, first class, Lawrence K. Dole, husband of Mrs. Barbara R. Dole, 2 Washington avenue, is on his way home aboard the aircraft carrier Marcus Island, and is scheduled to arrive in San Diego on December 8. From there he will proceed to the separation center nearest his home for discharge.

Radio Technician, second class, Thomas P. Dea, Jr., U. S. N. R., of 28 Summer street, is now serving on the heavy cruiser U. S. S. Louisville, a unit of the Navy's "Magic Carpet" fleet, which is transporting Pacific veterans to the United States to be discharged. The Louisville, which is shuttling between China, Korea, Japan and the States, carried about 500 high-point veterans home on her latest trip.

Captain Russell Lawson, son of Mr. and Mrs. David Lawson of 24 Wolcott avenue, recently returned home on terminal leave. He will be discharged under the new policy for Army officers, which requires an officer to have four years and three months, and Capt. Lawson has four years and nine months, in the service. For the past two years he has been serving with the Quartermaster Inspection Service at Jersey City, N. J.

A United States Army provost marshal in London, in World War I, **Colonel Charles A. Mahoney,** a native of Lawrence and now residing at 36 Central street, is now the Army provost marshal for the big supply organization that supplies all the American troops in Japan and Korea, with headquarters in Yokohama, Japan. Col. Mahoney graduated from the U. S. Military Academy at West Point, N. Y., in 1917, and served in France in World War I with the Fourth division. He was promoted to the rank of major, was provost marshal in London and continued in the Army until 1922, when he resigned to enter private business. In May, 1942, he returned to the Army with the rank of major, later being promoted to lieutenant-colonel and to his present rank.

Wave Specialist Dorothy C. Wi 37 Maple avenue, has recently r ceived her discharge from th Waves after serving for 27 mon at Hunter College, New York Ci and the office of Chief of Naval O erations, Washington, D. C. S held the rating of yeoman, thi class, at the time of her discharg Miss Winn is a graduate of Punc ard High school, and before ente ing the service, she was employ at the consulates of Guatemala a Uruguay in Boston.

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Gunner's Mate, second class, Ernest N. Hall, son of Mr. Edward P. Hall, Dascomb road, is on his way home aboard the U. S. S. Haskell. He left Okinawa, November 22, and was scheduled to arrive in San Francisco about December 7. Upon arrival he will go directly to a separation center to complete the formalities of obtaining his discharge.

Lieutenant (j. g.) Victor J. Mill, Jr., of 4 Cedar road, is again a civilian after serving 20 months in the Navy, his last duty being at the First Naval District headquarters in Boston. Before entering the service he was employed by the Lawrence Machine and Pump company in Lawrence.

Thomas Churchill, son of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth C. Churchill, Shawsheen road, was recently awarded his diploma from Worcester Academy, and he is now at Camp Devens, awaiting further orders from the U. S. Army.

Technician, fifth grade, Robert Batcheller returned last Saturday on the St. Vulvania after spending nearly a year in Germany. He is a member of the Second Armored division, which saw much action. He is spending a 60-day furlough with his mother, Mrs. Gladys Batcheller of Lowell street.

Motor Machinist Mate, first class, Alfred R. Catanzaro, 44 Corbett street, recently received his discharge from the Naval service at the Naval Air station, Jacksonville, Florida.

Weddings

WOODES—REID

Miss Evelyn Elizabeth Reid, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gorge M. Reid, 28 York street, became the bride of George H. Woodes, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. George H. Woodes, 86 South Broadway, Lawrence, at a ceremony Monday evening at 7 o'clock in Grace Episcopal church. The rector, Rev. Archie H. Crowley, officiated.

The bride wore a gown of aqua chiffon with accessories in harmony and a corsage of talisman roses. Her maid of honor was Mrs. Irene Vaff. Charles M. Pozzi was best man.

A reception was held at the home of the bride's parents, after which the couple left for Lake Placid, N. Y. They will reside with the bride's parents.

The bride is a graduate of the Drury high school of North Adams and the bridegroom is a graduate of Spaulding high school, Rochester, N. H.

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LEWIS—PETERS

Miss Mary Pauline Peters, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Peters of Boston road, became the bride of Harold I. Lewis, gunner's mate, second class, U. S. N. R., son of Mr. and Mrs. Irving Lewis of Danvers at a pretty ceremony performed Saturday afternoon, December 1, at 4 o'clock in St. Augustine's church by Rev. Henry B. Smith, O. S. A.

The bride wore a gown of white satin with sweetheart neckline and a tulle veil which was worn by the bridegroom's mother. She carried a bride's bouquet of white roses. The maid of honor was Miss Phyllis Peters, sister of the bride, and the best man was Joseph N. Roy, brother-in-law of the bride. The ceremony was followed by a reception at the bride's home.

Miss Peters graduated from Punchard High school in 1940 and Danvers State hospital school of nursing in September. The bridegroom graduated from Danvers High school and Leighton Trade school. He enlisted in the Navy in August, 1942, and spent ten months at Weymouth naval air station before being assigned to a P. C. boat on convoy duty in the Atlantic. After two years he was assigned to a destroyer escort, the Kempthrone. He is now teaching at Tufts College while awaiting his discharge.

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CLISBEE—FALLON

At seven o'clock Wednesday evening, November 28, in St. Augustine's rectory, Miss Miriam L. Fallon, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George B. Fallon, 6 Ferndale avenue, became the bride of Robert Clisbee, son of Mrs. Bernice Clisbee of Marlboro. The double ring ceremony was performed by Rev. Henry B. Smith, O. S. A.

The bride wore a blush rose wool suit with a matching feather hat, black accessories, and a corsage of orchids. Their attendants were Miss Mildred Fallon, sister of the bride, and Arthur Shepard of Marlboro.

Mr. Clisbee, recently discharged from the U. S. Army, was a sergeant with the Fourth Armored force, and he holds three distinguished service decorations, two presidential citations, five battle stars and the Purple Heart. He is a graduate of Marlboro High school. Mrs. Clisbee is a graduate of Punchard High school, and until her marriage was employed at the Watts Regulator company.

After a trip to New York City the couple will reside in Marlboro.

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ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond W. Howe, 19 Arundel street, announce the engagement of their daughter, Polly, to Frank W. Lee, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank H. Lee of North Andover. Both are employees of Radio Station WLAW. Miss Howe is in charge of the traffic department, and Mr. Lee is on the engineering staff.

Miss Howe attended the School of the Museum of Fine Arts and the School of Practical Art, Boston. Mr. Lee is a graduate of the Lawrence High school and Clark Preparatory school and attended Worcester Polytechnic institute.

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Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Muise of 65 Park street announce the engagement of their daughter, Dorothy M., a corporal in the WAC, to Robert T. Volker, private, first class, U. S. Army, of Newark, N. J.

Corporal Muise has been in the WAC for almost two years and is stationed in Washington, D. C. She recently returned from a bond tour of the country. Private, first class, Volker is also stationed in Washington, D. C., at the present.

The wedding will take place in the near future.

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Rev. and Mrs. J. Edgar Park, of Osterville, were recent visitors at the home of Winthrop Bartwell of Shawsheen road.....Mrs. Halbert Dow of Beacon street is spending some time with her daughter Mrs. George Quinn, at Oak Ridge, Tenn .....Mrs. Russell Foster of Fletcher street is making satisfactory progress at the Lawrence General hospital following an operation performed there recently.

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Christmas Program At Shawsheen School

The children of the Shawsheen school will present a Christmas program on Wednesday afternoon, December 19, at 2 o'clock. The cast of the play, "At the Last Moment," is made up of students from the fourth grade.

The program will be as follows: Announcers: Janet Thompson and Catherine Anderson; "Welcome to You," Betsey Caswell, Grade 1; acrostic, "C is for Christmas"—Jane Henrick, Joyce Sullivan, Richard Davis, David Tomlinson, Gerald Ryan, William Sullivan, Jane McKinnery, David Best, Robert Winters, Paul Archambault; song, "Jolly Old St. Nicholas"; poem, "The Christmas Tree" — Joyce Dunlop, Janice Cairns, Nancy Kelly, William Edwards, Betsey Caswell, Martha Dietrich, James Winters, Lynne Cotter, Edward Dwyer, John Reilly, Cornelia Scott, Earl Salisbury, Leland Scott, Sandra Jean Dulong, Cynthia Vaughan, John Sullivan, Mary Ellen Winters, Peter Killilea, Donna Dickson, Marjorie Ortstein, Mildred Tangney; playlet, Grade 3, "The Elves' Christmas" — little girls: Jacquelyn Doyle, Lois LeTourneau, Nancy Page Perkins; elf captain, Barry Guertin; elves: Marcia Tangney, Anthony Costello, Roberta Dickson, Robert Grudzinski, Mary Scott, George Henrick, Allan Vaughan, Richard Berube, Edward Dawson, Audrey Tuttle, Loretta Merrill, Raymond Groleau, Carl Ebhardt, Richard Finnerty; solo, "Beautiful Thoughts for Christmas," Mary Alice Shea; song, "A Christmas Lullaby," Grade 2: Mary Ann Faggiano, Andrea MacLachlan, Beverley Barlow, Carol Emerick, Barbara Jackson, Sandra McKinnery, Gail Marland; play, Grade 4—"At the Last Moment" — Characters: French dolls, Eva DeAngelo, Alda McCarmack, Ruth Miller; pilgrim doll, Norma Howard; Chinese doll, Joan Mealey; Eskimo doll, Chales Giovinco; soldier doll, Francis Henrick; Indian doll, Henry Beliveau; sailor doll, Billy Mooney; Santa Claus, Billy Dean; recitation, "Envy": Frances Leone, Kirk Whitman, Frances Rees; pageant of the nativity, Grades 5 and 6; "Oh, Come Ye to Bethlehem" — scene I, Shepherds on the hillside; scene II, a street in a villag in Juda; scene III, a manger scene; characters: first shepherd, Peter Caswell; second shepherd, Hayden Daley; third shepherd, Robert Best; fourth shepherd, Barry Duhamel; Gunar, a blind man, Alan Ganem; Reuben, a young lad, John O'Connor; Three Wise Men: John Lewis, Walter Wood, Emery LeTourneau; Mary, Frances Dunlevy; Joseph, Peter Miller; angel, Anne Merchant; soloist, Barbara Ann Doyle; carol singers: boys and girls of Grades 5 and 6.

Miss Joan Hartigan and Miss Judith Shepard of Dascomb road, Ballardvale, will take part in the annual Christmas pageant of the Garland School, which will be held in the Bradley House at 410 Commonwealth avenue, Boston, Friday morning, December 14. They will take part as members of the verse speaking choir.

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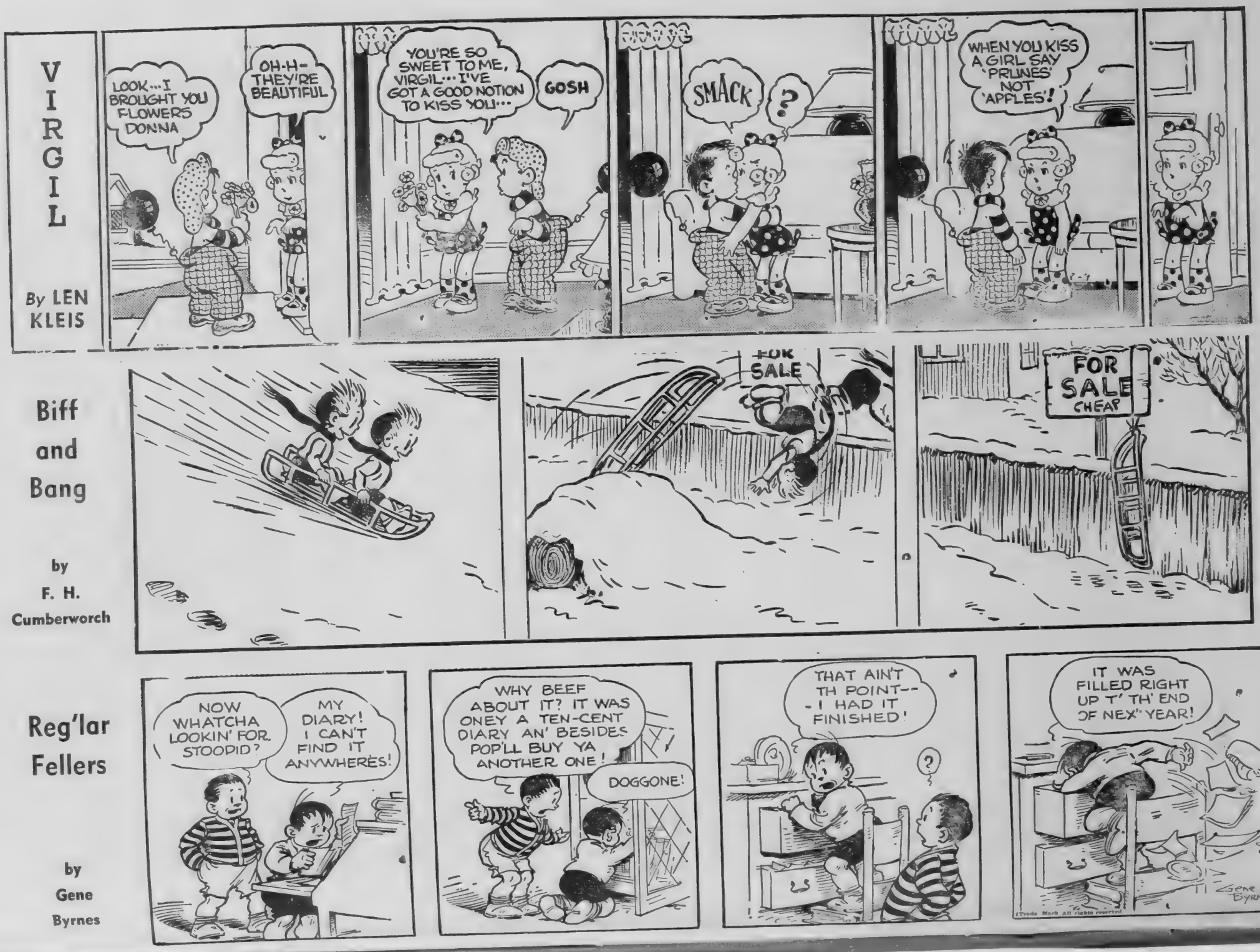
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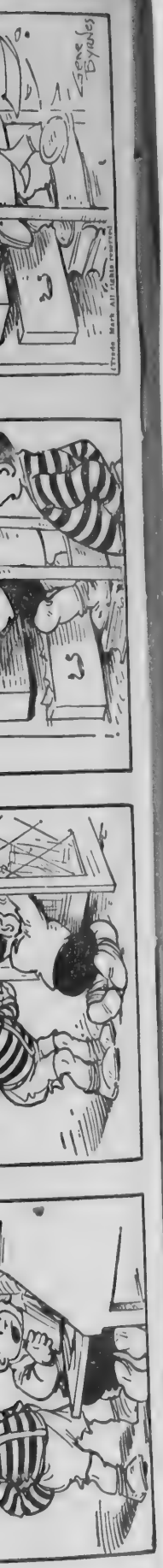

With the Clubs

The Ladies' Auxiliary to Clan Johnston, 185 — A Christmas tree party for the children of the members will be held Sunday afternoon, December 23, at 2:30, in the Andover Square and Compass club hall.

The Shawsheen Village P. T. A.—A musical Christmas program was featured at the December meeting Wednesday evening, December 12. A musical program was presented after the business session, by the Junior High school boys' glee club under the direction of Miss Miriam Sweeney, supervisor of music in the Andover public schools, and a selected group from the Andover Community orchestra. The group also rendered a number of musical selections under the direction of Mr. Roger Higgins at the piano. Refreshments were served by the fourth grade mothers, under the direction of Mrs. Elford Shugrue and Mrs. Gordon Thompson. Mrs. G. Edgar Best, president of the association, presided, The hall was beautifully decorated for the Christmas season.

The V. F. W. Auxiliary — Plans were completed for the Christmas whist to be held Monday evening, December 17, at the meeting Wednesday evening in the post rooms in the Musgrove building. Plans were also made for a Christmas party to be held Thursday evening, December 27. Refreshments were served after the business session.

The British War Veterans Auxiliary — A meeting was held Wednesday evening at the Andover Square and Compass club hall. After the business session a fish and chip supper was served. A white elephant sale followed.

The good of the order committee: Mrs. Daniel Gallagher, Mrs. Peter Stewart and Mrs. Norman K. MacLeish.

The Andover State Guard — A Christmas cheer party will be held at Balmoral hall Saturday evening. There will be a program of dancing and games followed by a buffet lunch.

The committee: Sergeant Francis Rody, Private, first class, William Moore, Private, first class, John Bolling, Private, first class, Fred Pulster, Private William Watts, Private Harry Ford, Private Dighton Emmons and Private Alexander Meek, Jr.

The Andover Service Club—U. S. Senator H. Styles Bridges of New Hampshire will be the guest speaker at the meeting to be held Wednesday evening, December 19, at the Andover Inn. Dinner will be served at 7 o'clock.

Andover Square and Compass Club — A meeting will be held Friday evening, December 14, at 8 o'clock at the club house. The guest speaker of the evening will be Rev. Leslie J. Adkins, pastor of the West Parish church, who will speak on his experiences in Arabia, where he taught for eight years. The facilities of the club house, including billiards, pool and cards, will be open to all, and refreshments will be served. All members of the Masonic fraternity are cordially invited.

The November Club—The annual Christmas meeting will be held Monday afternoon, December 17, at 3 o'clock. The speaker for the afternoon will be Mrs. Kathleen Emerson Swan, who will present a program showing the development of many of our most cherished Christmas traditions. There will be singing of carols, and all members will bring their gifts for the children. Mrs. Swan is a charming speaker and has spent time and study on her subject.

The next meeting of the Literature Department will take the form of a Christmas party to be held at the home of Mrs. Cleveland Gilcreast on Wednesday afternoon, December 19, at 3 o'clock.

The second in a series of book reviews by Mrs. Thomas Rudkin was held at the club house Wednesday morning, December 12. The following books were reviewed: "Ever New England," by Chamberlain; "Mother Goose Handicraft," by Nina Jordan; "Houses for Homemakers," by Royal Barry Wills; "An American Annual of Christmas Literature and Art'; "A Nation of Nations," by Louis Adamic; " How To Live Beyond Your Means," by Margery Wilson; "Spin a Silver Dollar," by Hannum; "The Friendly Persuasion," by West; "Outside Eden," by Rorick; "Face and Figure Fascination," by McLeod.

Andover Grange — A Christmas party will be held in Grange Hall Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock, December 18. A square dancing party will be held in the hall on Friday evening. The public is cordially invited to join in the fun.

Troop 7, Boy Scouts — The patrol leaders and assistants gave instructions and demonstrations in artificial respiration at the meeting held Monday evening at the American Legion. During the recreation period competitions were held in knot-tying and first aid. George Ziady, troop librarian, was kept especially busy throughout the evening, due to the fact there will be an award given for the best book review. Scout Raymond Silva passed his tenderfoot test and will be awarded his badge at the next meeting. Reviews in first and second class signalling were given by Robert Brightman, assistant scoutmaster; Abdo Saab, junior assistant scoutmaster; and Raymond Mansour, senior patrol leader. Plans were made for a hike to Lake Cochicewick in North Andover. First aid instruction was given by David A. Chute, scoutmaster, and Charles Elsoojian, assistant scoutmaster. A green bar staff meeting was held following the meeting.

Shawshen Village Women's Club—A meeting of the dramatic department will be held Friday afternoon, at 2:30 o'clock, at the home of Mrs. Arthur Steinert, Main street.

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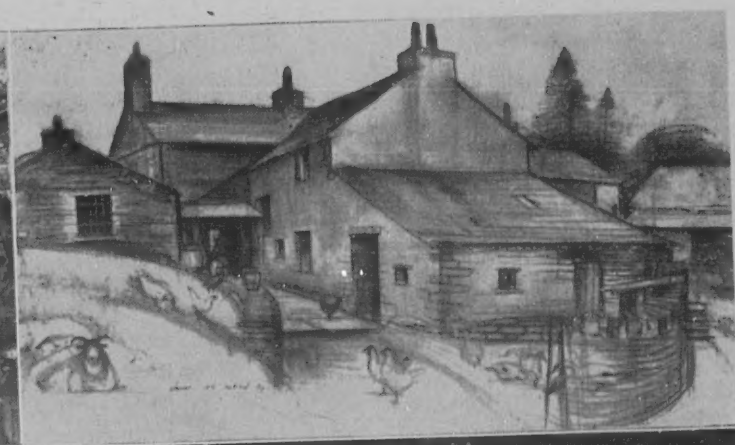

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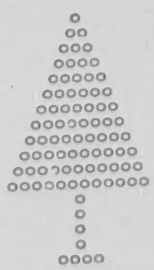

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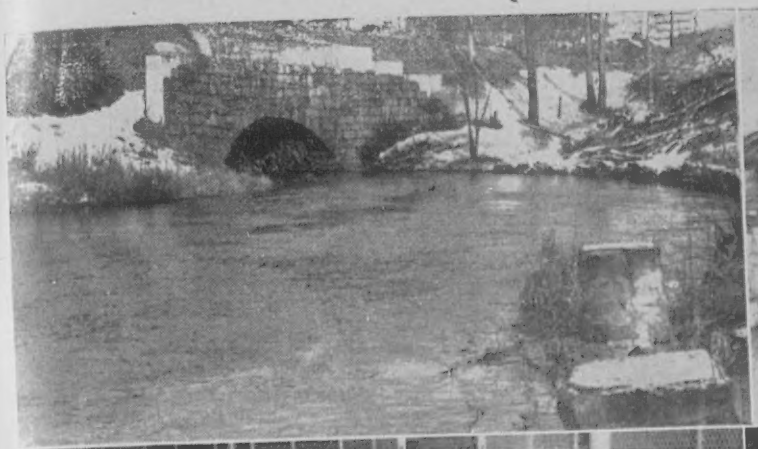

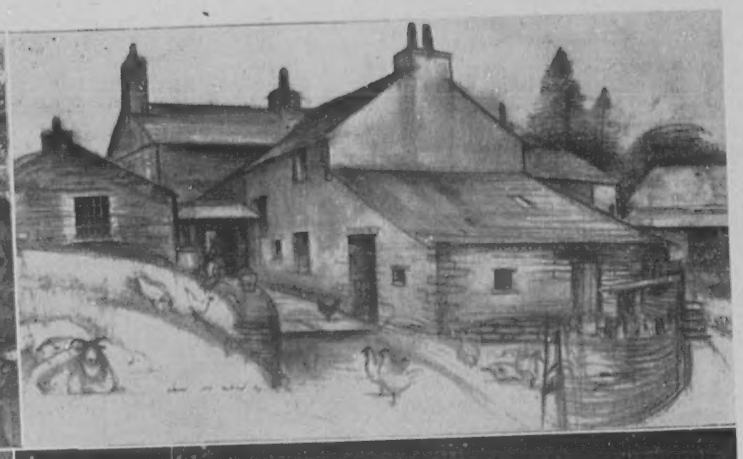

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